Amendment No. 1 to SB1945

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AMEND Senate Bill No. 1945*

House Bill No. 1998

by deleting all language after the enacting clause of the introduced bill and by substituting instead the following:

Section 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 7-86-316, is amended by designating the existing language as subsection (a) and by adding the following new subsections:

(b)

- (1) An aggravated 911 nonemergency call is a nonemergency 911 call as described in subsection (a) of this section where:
 - (A) A single caller makes such nonemergency 911 calls in an offensively repetitious manner;
 - (B) The nonemergency 911 call creates a delay in the response to an emergency; or
 - (C) The nonemergency 911 call results in harm to person or property.
- (2) An aggravated nonemergency 911 call is a Class A misdemeanor.
- (3) A person may be held liable for damages or loss proximately resulting from the nonemergency 911 under subsection (b)(1)(C), in addition to the penalty imposed by subsection (b)(2).

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2007, the public welfare requiring it.